contact region. A number of row contact layers 64A, 64B, and 64C are provided, wherein each row contact layer electrically connects the first contact regions 65A and 65B of the radiation sources that are associated with a corresponding row in the array. Likewise, a number of column contact layers 66A, 66B, and 66C are provided, wherein each column contact layer 66A, 66B, and 66C is provided over at least part of the phosphor segments 60A, 60B, and 60C of the radiation sources that are associated with a corresponding column. The column contact layers 66A, 66B, and 66C also electrically connect the first contact regions 62A and 62B of each radiation source that is associated with a corresponding column. As indicated above, it is contemplated that the column contact layers 66A, 66B, and 66C are reflective to reflect at least some of the UV radiation and/or visible light rays that exit from the corresponding phosphor segments 60A, 60B, and 60C, back into the phosphor segments 60A, 60B, and 60C.

## In the Claims

Please cancel claims 1 and 23-32, without prejudice.

Please amend the claims as follows:

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(Amended) A light emitting device comprising:

a phosphor layer having two opposing sides including one or more excitable, light-emitting phosphors;

a radiation source positioned adjacent a first one of the two opposing sides of the phosphor layer for providing a radiation to excite a light emission from the phosphor layer, the radiation source having a first contact region and a second contact region;

reflector means provided adjacent a second one of the two opposing sides of the phosphor layer for reflecting at least some of the radiation and light emission that exits from the phosphor

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